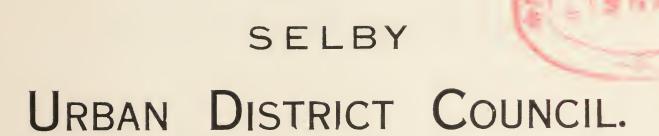
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Medical Officer of Health

For the Year 1941.

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To:--

The Chairman and Members of the SELBY URBAN DISTRICT COUNCIL.

The Minister of Health has intimated that a short Interim Report only should be prepared for the year 1941.

W. BERTRAM HILL,

Medical Officer of Health.

INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

The usual Table (II) is appended showing the number of Notifications of acute Infectious Disease and the number of cases of Tuberculosis.

Average for 5 ye	ears	Diphtheria	Scarlet Fever	Typhoid	Erysipelas
(1934—1938	3)	8	17		2.7
1939	••••	26	8		3
1940		4	7		4
1941	• • • •	12	3	1	1

TUBERCULOSIS.

Average					
Notifications Ir	l			Pulmonary	Non-Pulmonary
(1934—1938)		• • • •		9	3.7
1939	• • • •	* * * \$		4	3
1940	• • • •		• • • •	6	4
1941				4	2

PATIENTS ADMITTED INTO THE INFECTIOUS DISEASES' HOSPITAL.

From	Scarlet Fever	Diphtheria	Cancer	Chicken Pox	Fonsilits	Erysipelas	Whooping Cough	Typhoid	
Selby U.D.	5	10		1	1	1		1	19
Selby R.D.	1	3			-		2	1	7
Derwent R.D	8	3	1		3				15
Tadcaster R.D	2			1					3
	 16		1	2	4	<u>·</u> 1	2	2	44

Seven Members of H.M. Forces were also admitted.

Total 51

DIPHTHERIA IMMUNISATION.

Immunisation is being actively carried out in all the Schools in the Urban District.

MINOR INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

Forty cases of Measles and twenty of Whooping Cough were notified.

GOVERNMENT EVACUATION SCHEME.

At the close of the year there were in the Urban District:

\ /	Unaccompanied Children		• • • •		• • • •	212
\ /	Mothers (53), with Child	ren (9	96)	• • • •		149
(c)	Blind Persons	• • • •	• • • •	• • • •	• • • •	23

VITAL STATISTICS.

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Death Rate per 1,000	• • • •	13.4	12.9		
Birth Rate per 1,000	• • • •	15.9	14.2		
Zymotic per 1,000	• • • •	00.			
Pulmonary Tuberculosis per 1000		.38			
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Respiratory	• • • •	2.4			
Infantile Mortality Rate		89.8	59.		
(i.e., Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 Bir	rths	(5)			

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TABLE II
Cases of Infectious Disease notified during the year 1941.

	Number of Cases Notified.									
Notifiable Disease.			At	all A	rges-	-Yea	ırs.		CASES ED TO AL.	
			ir 5	d er 15	nd r 25	nd r 45	1d 1r 65	nd ards	TOTAL CAS REMOVED HOSPITAL.	Dеатнѕ
		Under	lerd under	5 and under	15 and under 2	25 and under 45	45 and under 65	65 and upwards	To RE HC	DE
Small-pox										
Cholera (C) Plague (P)									•••	•••
Diphtheria (including					,	o g.Fa	* • •		* * *	••
Membranous Croup	12		2	9	1			• • •	12	
Erysipelas	2		- + •			2			1	
Scarlet Fever	3			3					3	
Typhus Fever			• • •					* * *	• •	
Enteric Fever	1					1			1	
Relapsing Fever (R) Continued Fever (C)	• • •	a 4 -				•••		•••	• # •	
Puerperal Pyrexia	1				1			• •	1	
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis				• • •	• • •					
Poliomyelitis		• • •			• • •					
Ophthalmia Neonatorum	1	1		• • •						
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4					3	1		* * *	
Other forms of Tuberculosis	2		1		1					
Measles	39		14	24	1				•••	
German Measles			- •	• • •	•••				• • •	
Primary Pneumonia	1		1					•••		
Influenzal Pneumonia					• • •			• • •	* * *	
Whooping Cough	18	1	11	6						4 • •
Dysentery					• • •	• • •				
Trench Fever			• • •		. • •	• • •				• • •
Acute Polio Encepthalitis		• • •			• • •	• • •	• • •	• •		
Encepthalitis Lethargica		• •	• • •		• • •	• • •				
Totals	84	$\hat{\mathbf{z}}$	29	42	4	6	1	• • •	18	

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